## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In the Matter of Application Serial No. 75/225,972 Published in the *Official Gazette* dated July 7, 1998

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# OPPOSER'S REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF IMPROPERLY ISSUED NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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On February 15, 2001, the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board issued an order in the above-captioned matter entering judgment by default in favor of Opposer Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche Aktiengesellschaft. A copy of the Board's Order is attached hereto at Tab A. Although entry of judgment in favor of Opposer should have had the effect of having Application Serial No. 75/222,972 declared abandoned with prejudice, Opposer has now learned that the Trademark Office has, inexplicably, issued a Notice of Allowance in connection with the application to Applicant. A

printout from the United States Patent and Trademark Office's <u>TARR Web Server</u> showing the issuance of a Notice of Allowance is attached hereto at Tab B.

The issuance of a Notice of Allowance to Applicant following entry of judgment in favor of Applicant is plainly in error. Opposer thus respectfully requests that the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board order that the Notice of Allowance to be withdrawn, and order that the application declared abandoned with prejudice.

Dated: December 6, 2001

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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Withdrawal of Improperly Issued Notice of Allowance was sent via first class mail, postage prepaid, on December 6, 2001 to Stainlaus Aksman, counsel for Applicant, at the law firm of Hunton & Williams, 1900 K Street, N.W., Suite 1200, Washington, D.C. 20006-1109.

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#### **TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith please find the following documents:

- (1) Opposer's Request for Withdrawal of Improperly Issued Notice of Allowance in triplicate;
- (2) Certificate of Service; and
- (3) A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please datestamp and return this postcard; and

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Very truly yours,

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